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Iraqi official in Syria for unity talks

DAMASCUS, June 2 (R)--A senior fragrofficial arrived today to discuss plans for unity with Syna, Mr. Tareq Aziz, a member of the Iraqi Revolutionary Command Council (RCC), told reporters he would deliver a message from President Ahmed Hassan Al Bakr to Syrian President Hatez Al Assad, Mr. Aziz said the message dealt with relations between Syriz and Iraq in the context of joint national action and pursuit of unity by their political leaderships. Earlier today, Syrian Information Minister Ahmed Iksander was quoted as saving in an interview that the presidents of Syria and Iran would meet soon to discuss final plans for uniting their two countries. Mr. Iskander was quoted by Al Mostakbal, a Paris-based Lebanese weekly magazine, as saying: "We have reached the final stage of preparing the constitutional formula for this unity." The minister did not disclose the date or the venue of the summit talks

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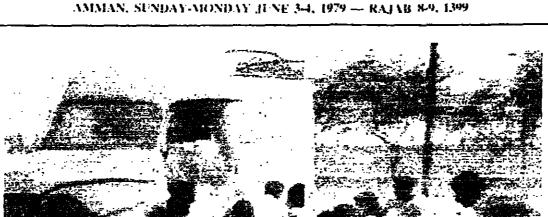
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They were also expected to announce their intention of holding talks in the near future to arrange trade preferences among themselves with a view to strongthening their future bargaining



Arabs take cover in Khorramshahr Friday as Islamic revolutionary guards open fire from rooftops. Government forces began shooting after thousands of autonomy-seeking Arabs took to the streets denanding the prosecution of the pro-

vince's governor-general, Rear Admiral Ahmad Madani, In three days of clashes between Khorramshahr Arab Iranians and revolutionary quardsinen loyal to the Tehran government, 25 people have been killed and 120 wounded, (AP wirephotos

For 'advocating Egyptian-Israeli autonomy plans'

Gaza leader 'liquidated', mayor warned to be next

project has drawn bitter oppos-

from from all groups under the

In Berrut, the PFLP's number

two man, Bassam Abu Shorif,

described the assassination of

Sheikh Hashem as "the first

revolutionary step against all

those who are dealing with the

mayor Rashad Al Shawwa would

Mr. Abu Sherit said that Gaza

conspiratorial autonomy project."

umbrella of the Palestine Lib-

eration Organisation (PLO).

BEIRUT, June 2 (R)--A radical Palestinian commando group today claimed responsibility for the assassination of the religious leader of the

Israeli-occupied Gaza Strip -- and warned that Gaza's mayor would be

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ated warnings to dissociate him-

self from Israeli plans for limited

self-rule in the West Bank and the

Gaza Strip. Shell h Hashem expressed sup-

part to: the Egyptian-Israeli

peace treaty--a pact opposed by

most Arab countries, including

Saudi Arabia -- during a recent

According to independent reports, the vast majority of the

population of the West Bank and

the Gaza Strip are opposed to a

form of autonomy they see as no

better than outright occupation.

Observers here said that the

Sheikh's assassination, calculated

to intimidate autonomy sup-

porters, appeared to have had its

Reports from Gaza said that

In a statement issued in the Syrian capital of Damascus, the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP) said that one or its units bad stabled Sheikh. Hashem Khazendar to death at 9 p.m. (1900 GMT) last night.

The statement said that Sheikh Hashem, the Iman, or Gaza, had been liquidated for advocating Israeli-Egyptian plans to introduce a form of autonomy in the Gara Strip and the occupied West Bank of Jordan. The autonomy

government demonstration by

some 3,000 autonomy-seeking

The Front said its rep-

resentatives and those of other

secular groups, including the

lett-wing Fedaycen guerrilla

movement, would be travelling to

the provincial capital of Ahwaz

Ahwaz was the scene of the lat-

est political executions by Iran's

revolutionery courts. Two een-

erals, including the Shah's former

military governor of Khuzestan,

went before the firing squad early

In all, seven former officials

Arabs went off peacefully,

share the Imam's late, "Al-Shawwa is playing a role which is very dangerous to the Palestinian struggle and the interests of the Palestinian people," he said. Mr. Abu Sherit said that a group

led by the mayor had had recent contacts with Israeli Defence ident Anwar Sadat of Egypt.

Minister Ezer Weizman and Pres-

although about 2,000 people The PFLP's statement said that attended the funeral, local not-Sheikh Hashem had ignored repeables stayed away

U.S. initiates moves for PLO participation in peace process

WASHINGTON, June 2 (J.T.)-Informed sources in Washington said vesterday that top Carter administration officials have initiated diplomatic moves in a quest for a formula to secure the participation of the Palestine Liberation Organisation in the next stage of the Middle East peace process, Al Ra'i newspaper reported today.

urces said that the moves are shrouded with secresy in orde to avoid stirring up pro-Israeli circles in the United States, the paper

The paper further quotes the U.S. sources as saying that the Carter administration was mistaken in its calculations vis-a-vis the reaction of both Jordan and Saudi Arabia to the Egyptian-Israeli peace treaty. The U.S. diplomats acknowledge that the Jordanian and Saudi positions on the Camp David agreement have forced the Carter

administration to review its strategy in the Middle East, the sources

The sources point out that the visit to Washington by Chief of the Royal Court Sharif Abdul Hamid Sharaf a month ago played a major role in bringing about a change in U.S. policy in the Middle East, Al

First public attack on Iran's unofficial head

Khomeini accused of opposing democracy

underground terrorist movement which fought the Arabs of Pales-

tine before the creation of Israel has threatened to leave Herut with a

small number of colleagues if the convention rejects her criticism of

whole of Sinai and proposals for innited autonomy for the Pales-

binians of the West Bank and Gaza Strip, under the peace treaty with

Egypt threaten the existence of Israel. The prime analyter has broad

need not fear a direct threat from Mrs. Cohen, it is said.

support from the rank and file as well as the leadership, and threfore

Although every effort will be made to postpone any discussion of

Mr. Begin's successor, the very fact of his retirement announcement

will loom large over the party's turnre planning. No clear successor

Defence Minister Ezer Weizman is regarded by many as too inde-

pendent of the party line and party discipline while Foreign Minister

Moshe Dayan is distrusted for the same reasons and is not a Hernt

Housing Minister David Levy, whose admirers say has manufed

Professor Moshe Arens, chairman of the important Foreign

Affairs and Security Committee of the Knesset (parliament), plays

greatly in the past two years, could be an outside contender.

The dissidents claim Mr. Begin's planned withdrawal from the

TEHRAN, June 2 (R) + Ban's centre-left National Democratic Front today faunched a butter attack on Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomemi, accusing him of opposing democracy and interfering in government allairs.

It was the first public attack on the Avarollah since he assumed leadership of the frantan revolution last February.

The assault came in an open letter from the front to the 79from all private and public engagements because of what was officially described as excessive

"Everything is determined by your proclamations and the intervention of the clergy. The government is nothing but a ghost."

Begin's Herit Party tomorrow opens its first national convention

since coming to power two years ago, with differences over ideology

Party leaders have said the convention will be mainly concerned

with organisational problems to be overcome if Herut is to be sure of

re-election in time as leader of the right-wing Likud Alliance forming

the government. But many tank-and-life party members, as well as

the opposition, say Herot is tent by deep ideological differences,

especially on its policy towards the occupied West Bank and Caza-

A greater threat may come from opposition to the economic

policies of Finance Minister Simcha Ffirheli, a member of the liberal

faction. Many Herut members blame him for the country's galloping

A third major factor could be an impending power struggle in the

But however buter the convention debates may become, the party

is generally expected to emerge united. Irontcally, its unity should be

strengthened by the possible departure of a small breakway group led

be one of the party's most colourful members, Mrs. Genla Cohen.

wake of Mr. Begin's recent announcement that he would retire in

four years' time, halfway through a possible second term.

inflation rate likely to teach 70 per cent this year.

Strey is well as its attitude to the liberal wing of the Likud Bloc.

and economies likely to provoke the most heated debates.

the letter soci It said Avaiollah Khomemi had

ordered the foreign ministry to break diplomatic relations with Egypt last month when the decision should more properly have been taken by the prime minister. or the ruling Revolutionary Coun-The attack was part of a rising

tide of emicism by securar political groups against what they see as demagoric rule by the hardline Muslim clergy

The From Oscod: al you michato establish a theocratic system investigative mission to the southbased on the Koran, why do you speak of a constitution?"

It said Avatollah Khomeini had excluded popular participation in the drafting of a new constitution and charged that the government had been alraid to insist on such

A call for the clergy to return to the mosques and quit political posts came last night from Ayatollab Mahmud Talleghani, the liberal Tehran religious leader. He said in a state television interview: "The genuine clergy does not accept government posts and responsibilities. The best bustion of the clergy is the mosque

The Front, which said it had asked for an interview with Available Khomeins son aunced neally it was laxing part in on ern oil province of Khuzestan. which has seen bitter tighting between Iranian Arabs and Persians in recent days.

The Gulf port of Khorranshahr, centre of the fighting, was quiet today. An anti-

were executed in Ahwaz and an eighth at nearby Masjed Sulei-An official radio announcement

this morning.

that a private soldier had been executed for murder in the central city of Yard yesterday brought the total of political executions since ideology, economics differences the revolution to at least 251.

Numeiri calls for urgent summit, new Arab League

KHARTOUM, June 2 sions beneficial to the Arab (R)--Sudan's President Leafar nation. Numeirs has called for a new organisation to replace the Arab. League and said Sedan will cease to be member until certain meas-

ures he has proposed are adopted. He made the call in an interview with the Paris-based weekly. Al-Mustakhal, reported today by the Sudan News Agency (SUNA).

In the interview, President Numeiri called for an urgent Arab summit conference to be convened in Mecca. Soud: Arabia, to discuss developments in the Arab World and formulate a strategy for joint Arab action.

He said he would be sending invitations to Arab heads of state next week for the conference in the Islamic holy city, whose spiritual status, he said, would inspire Arab leaders to make deci-

UNCTAD adopts Arabic as full working language

MANIEA, June 2 (R) -- The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNUTAD) has agreed that Arabic should become one of its full working languages, at a likely cost the U.N. of at least \$3.4 milfion a year.

An agreed draft resolution recommends that the U.N. General Assembly should give Arabic the same status as other official languages of UNCTAD by next January.

Detailed costs are still to be worked out but the UNCTAD secretariat said conference services for Arabic speakers in 1978-79 cost an estimated \$3,392,000. It suggested more would be needed for full implementation.

The other working languages are English, Russian, Chinese, French and Spanish.

Asked it he would support a move to transfer Arab League headquarters to Tunis and support a Tunisian candidate for the vacant secretary-generalship of the Jeague, President Numeiri proposed the forming of a committee to the foundations of a new pan-Arab organisation to be set up "above the ruins of the old lea-

would consider joining the Arab League, President Numeri said. He said the proposed summit would examine implementing resolutions adopted by the Algiers and Rabat Arab summits on the Arab cause and the Palestinaun question in particular.

"It is only then that Sudan

Egyptian President Sadat's peace initiatives with Israel, But the president's reference to the Algiers and Rabat summits which declared the Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) sole legitimale representative of the Palestinians implied criticism of Pres-

Sadan has been a supporter of

ident Sadat's proposals for Palestinian autonomy under Israel. During the visit earlier this week of U.S. Senator Jacob Javirs,

President Numero said, according to officials here, that while Sudan sided with peace efforts in the region, it abided by the principle of Arab solidarity in reaching a settlement, rather than a separate



President Jaafar Numeiri

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Mrs. Coben, who served under Mr. Begin in the Irgan Zvai Leumi down divisions within the party. Muzorewa pledges true black rule in Rhodesia

Herut to open convention with

SALISBURY, June 2 (R) -- Bishop Abel Muzorewa. Prime Minister of the new black-dominated state of Zimbabwe Rhodesia, today appealed for peace to the country's hostile neighbours and nationalist guerrillas, and pledged true black rule at

In his first address to the nation since assuming office at midnight on Thursday. the 54-year-old hishop promised his people irrevocable emancipation from white control, "When we have finally achieved that true freedom, peace and prosperity, no foul-mouthed idiot will date say we are puppers or stooges of some white establ-

ishment." he declared. The hishop spoke after a series of talks with U.S. emissaries last week, during the official transition from white rule, Official sources said he had secret meetings with several unofficial envoys, including State Department Africa adviser Allard Low-

They had told him he could reinforce his case for international recognition by proving that he, and not the whites, now ran the country, the sources said.

In his long address today, Bishop Muzorewa urged the U.S. and Britain to recognise his government and lift trade sanctions. There was a new democratic reality in Zimbabwe Rhodesia, with which the world must learn to live, he said.

The first British diplomat to be based in Salisbury since Rhodesia rebelled against Britain in 1965, Foreign Office Assistant Under-Secretary Derek Day, arrived last night to establish close contacts with the new government. He was expected to shuttie back and forth to I ondon to keep foreign Secretary Lord Carrington informed of developments.

The mainly black condition administration has been criticised abroad for perpetuating a large measure of white influ-

Former Premier Ian Smith and four other whites are members of the 17-man cabinet, Whites have 28 seats in the 100-seat parliament as well as holding day-to-day control of security forces and the civil service for the next five years. Patriotic Front guerrillas based in

Mozambique and Zambia have pledged to continue the six-year war, saying Zinihabwe Rhodesia is merely a white country with a black face. Bishop Muzorewa today urged guerrillus to return home in peace and assured Pat-

riotic Front leaders Robert Mugabe and

Joshua Nkomo that the amnesty offer was

genuine and honest. in Dar Es Salaam, Mr. Mugabe and Mr. Nkomo announced today that they had ereated a joint military command which would intensify the bush war.

The hishop said that four weeks ago he had communicated officially with the leaders of the five African "front-fine" states who support the Patriotic Front.

He said he had told Zambia. Mozambigge, Borswana, Tanzama and Angola that he would not allow his country to be used as a base for attempts to overthrow their eovernment and that he expected them to take



Bishop Abel Muzorewa

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Hiding the sun

IT IS DOUBTFUL that the United States got into the business of Middle East peacemaking in hopes that an Egyptian-Israeli reconciliation would somehow culminate in the creation of a Palestinian state. The U.S.'s refuetance even to contemplate such an entity is well known, has just been reiterated by President Carter, and is likely to be invoked again and again in the coming months of the U.S. 1980 Presidential election campaign.

Even if it might have seemed to Washington that an Israel presented with a pacified Egypt would be prepared to come to terms with the Palestinian question, it is likely that the U.S. saw its aims as being better served by similar agreements between Israel and the other Arab confrontation states--even in a formulation that left the question of Palestinian nationhood unaddressed, much less untulfilled.

Yet, while acknowledging these grim facts, those who seek a genuine and just peace in the Middle East are still prepared to entertain some indication on the part of Mr. Carter that he is willing, even at this late date, to face his responsibility for constructing that peace around the only framework capable of sustaining it: a peace structure with the Palestinian people and their legitimate national rights

Hopes that an awareness of this essential requirement is beginning to seep into the Western consciousness have been boosted by Thursday's resolution by NATO loreign ministers to the effect that a fasting peace in the Middle East depends on all the parties concerned, including Palestinian representatives, taking part in working out and implementing a comprehensive settlement. Although the U.S. joined its Atlantic allies in endorsing this sentiment, it is nothing less than a repudiation of a peace process which leaves out the Palestinians and their recognised representatives, as the Camp David approach does,

The problem for the United States comes in freeing uselt from its outdated and unjust "preconditions" for talking to those recognised representatives -- the Palestine Liberation Organisation.

In the present phase of the "peace process," the Egyptians have mandated themselves to speak for the Palestinians in the occupied West Bank and Gaza. The Arabs and the Palestinians themselves have resoundingly rejected this. None other than Israel's former U.N. ambassador, Chaim Herzog, has pointed out that "the degree of real enthusiasm on the part of President Sadat and the Egyptian people today for the Palestinian Arab cause is very much a matter of conjecture"; hence, he says. Egypt's insistence early in the negotiations on trying to shift the focus of the "autonomy" talks to formerly Egyptian-ruled Gaza alone.

No, the challenge for the U.S., if it is sincere in seeking peace, is to square up to the task of talking to Mr. Yasser Arafat's PLO, Mr. Arafat has on more than one recent occasion stated his willingness to talk. In fact, a few weeks ago, he said it all: "I am astonished that the U.S. ignores tacts and insists on ignoring the Palestinian people and their legal representatives, the PLO. It is as it somebody is trying to hide the sun with his hand, as the Arab proverh says. Nobody can hide the sun with his hand."

ARAB PRESS COMMENTARY ALRAYI SATURDAY COMMENTS on the ceasefire agreement

U.N. is playing in the "international game," carried out against the Lebanese and the Palestinians, How could the U.N. succeed in imposing a ceasefire in Leba-

reached in south Lebanon yesterday by questioning the role the

non and not succeed in preventing the Israeli aggressions in the first place, the paper asks.

The paper further wonders as to why unitied Arab action following the Baghdad summit has not as yet reached a point where it can stop Israeli aggression against Lebanon.

What is it that prevents the Arabs that are "capable of pulling the trigger." from fighting so that Lebanon may remain Arab, the

The presence of the Syrian and Palestinian forces in Lebanon, the paper adds, does not exempt the rest of the Arabs from performing their duty to protect Lebanon.

The paper calls on Arabs to resort to the "logic of armed power" to protect their rights and dignity.

Commenting on the same subject, AL DUSTOUR criticises the shelving by the Security Council of the Lebanese complaint tiled in protest of the continuing Israeli aggression, and says that the council has used the ceasefire agreement reached vesterday. and the "relative calm" in south Lebanon as a pretext for avoiding discussion of the Lebanese complaint.

Lashing out at the Security Council for not issuing a resolution denouncing Israel for its violation of Lebanese sovereignty, the paper accuses the council of "evading its responsibility" saying that this attitude on the part of the Security Council comes as a result of U.S. and Israeli pressure.

The paper believes that the Security Council suspended discussion of the Lebanes complaint merely to avoid "embarrassing" the United States

Had the resolution condemning the Israeli attacks on Lebanon been put to the vote, the U.S. administration would have had to face either of two options; to abstain from voting, allowing the resolution to pass and hence incurring the wrath of the Jewish electorate; or veto the resolution and face more Arab indignation,

In view of the prospective signing of the SALT II agreement by Presidents Carter and Brezhney, the paper says that one cannot rule out the possibility that the Soviet Union may have played a role in preventing the U.S. embarrassment at the Security Counthe according to gate the proper atmosphere for the summit

between the two leaders. In conclusion, the paper calls on Arabs to build up their indigenous strength as the only way to guarantee them solving their problem: otherwise, their situation will remain dependent on the balance of interests of other countries.

Jordan's 1979 budget has Arab ministers meet in Amman a surplus of JD 62 million

By Rami G. Khouri Special to the Jordan Times

AMMAN-- Jordan's national budget continues to follow a widely fluctuating year-to-year course, according to the latest available information from official sources. According to the Central Bank, the Finance Ministry's annual budget statement for 1979 and a new report on the state of the Jordanian economy last year by the Royal Scientific Society. the restrained budget of 1978 has been replaced by a greatly expanded one for this year.

The budget totalled JD 363 million in expenditures last year. while revenues accounted for JD 311.8 million, leaving a budget deficit of JD 51.2 million.

This year, total expenditures are set at JD 513 million, while total anticipated revenues are JD 575 million, leaving a hudget surplus of JD 62 million, an unprecedented event in Jordanian fiscal history. The explanation, of course, is the JD 400 million in support aid that was pledged to Jordan by the Arab summit at Baghdad last October.

This sharp increase in foreign support for the current year follows an equally significant decrease in foreign aid to Jordan last year. The year before that (1977), the budget had witnessed another sharp rise in foreign aid. For the past three years (1977-

78-79) the foreign grants and loans component of the total budget has risen 102 per cent. dropped 16t per cent and risen 117 per cent

This corresponds to equally erratic swings in the total revenues of the central government. During the same three years, total domestic and foreign revenues have risen nó per cent, dropped tour per cent and risen 84 per cent respectively.

The total budget as measured by expenditures has experienced a somewhat steadier, continuing increase. The JD 262 million budget of 1976 rose by 20 per cent. to 1D 316 million in 1977, and rose again by 15 per cent to JD 363 million in 1978. This year's budget of JD 513 million represents a 41 per cent increase. over last year.

Official tigures released to the Jordan Times by the Central Bank show that budget support and total aid provided to Jordan declined significantly last year.

Total aid (budget support and founs) in 1978 was JD 182 million.

lished soon in the bank's annual the country.

Budget support in 1978 totalled JD 169 million the previous year. Loans to Jordan in 1978 totalled JD 70 million compared

According to the Central Bank figures. Arab countries provided JD 66.3 million out of the total budget support of JD 112 million last year. With the anticipated JD 400 million in financial sup-Baghdad summit, the budget figferent from those for last year, this year. reflecting an increased reliance on foreign support, in particular on

aid than ever before. While there is obvious concern effects, Central Bank sources also point out that several measures have been taken to minimise this. One of these is to keep a large amount of the Baghdad payments in foreign exchange, which will be used to finance Jordanian government purchases of foreign goods and services.

This year's budget sees foreign grants and loans accounting for 55 per cent of total spending, while domestic revenues will account for 45 per cent. The domestic revenue projections, if they are achieved, would represent a solid 58 per cent increase on last years's domestic revenues. The anticipated figure for domestic revenues this year is JD 258 million, while last year's was JD 163 million.

The importance of this is that Jordan is becoming more selfreliant in terms of covering its recurring annual expenses, such as civil service and armed forces salaries, and the regular expenses of government ministries and agencies.

Last year, domestic revenues covered 74 per cent of current expenditures: this year, domestic revenues are projected to cover 90 per cent of current expenditures. again an unprecedented feat in Jordanian fiscal history.

Thus the budget continues to show two seemingly contradictory trends, It is relying for a greater percentage of total national spending on foreign sources of aid.

WHAT'S GOING ON

Children's Art

The Jordanian Artists' Association presents an exhibition of chil-

dren's paintings at their premises. Open from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00

French Film

The French Cultural Centre presents a film by Andre Techine

entitled "Souvenirs d'en France" at 7:30 p.m. The film is in

Water Exhibit

The French Cultural Centre presents an exhibition depicting effi-

cient water usage and developing arid areas. The exhibit is open-

Summer Festival

A children's summer festival is being held at the Hava Arts Centre

Sunday and Monday. The festival is open to the public from 10

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compared to the 1977 figure of JD while at the same time it is cov-259, according to the Central ering more current expenditures Bank's figures, which will be pub- from revenues generated inside

The explanation for this comes JD 112 million, compared to from analysing the capital expenditures (or spending on developement projects such as new roads, the Aqaba port, power to JD 90 million the year before. plants, or large industrial schemes such as the potash and fertiliser projects and the Jordan Valley development scheme).

Since 1976, the current budget has doubled, while the capital port to Jordan this year from the spending budget has tripled. Current expenditures of JD 144 milures for this year will be very dif- lion in 1976 have tripled to JD 229

Thus what is happening in the Arab donors who will supply more national budget is that greater domestic revenues are meeting rising current expenditures, while that an injection of money as large the increased foreign aid and loans as JD 400 million into the are being channelled primarily to economy could have inflationary finance capital development

> Given Jordan's recognised creditworthiness internationally, this is likely to mean that the trend to increase international borrowing to finance development projects will continue into the immediate future, while rising domestic revenues (primarily from taxes and customs duties) will cover most of the recurring expenses.

AMMAN, June 2 (Agencies)--A 5ix-nation Arab League committee met here today to discuss

Kuwaiti Finance Minister here to boost

cooperation

AMMAN, June 2 (R) - Jordan and Kuwait are to probe the possibility of expanding their cooperation in the economic field, according to Kuwait's Minister of Finance Abdul Rahman Al Atiqi,

Mr. Atiqi told reporters on his arrival here last night on a weeklong visit that his talks with his counterpart here, Mr. Mohammad Debbas and Minister of Industry and Commerce Nijmeddin Dajani would deal with furthering economic cooperation.

While here he will be taking part in an Arab League six-nation committee meeting which will discuss questions relating to the transfer of the Arab League headquarters from Cairo to Tunis after the signing of a peace agreement between Egypt and Israel, he said.

He will also represent Kuwait at the meeting of the Council for Arab Economic Unity due to open in Amman on Monday.

2nd MECACON to Monday open on

By a Jordan Times staff reporter

AMMAN, June 2 -- The second Middle East Civil Aviation Conference (MECACON) will open at the Amman Holiday lan on Monday with a speech by His Majesty King Hussein. The conference is convened to discuss "advancement of safety and efficiency of civil aviation operations in the Middle East.

Labour minister leaves for ILO Geneva meet

AMMAN, June 2 (JNA) — Minister of Labour Isam Ailouni left for Geneva today to take part in the 65th International Labour Conference which starts on June 6.

During the month-long conference delegates will hear a report by the international Labour Organisation (ILO) director on the organisation's activities, Over the past year and the general budget for 1980.81 and will discuss a number of labour problems.

The Arab delegates will seek condemnation by the conference of Israeli violations of the rights and freedom of labour unions and its violations of human rights in the occupied Arab territories and will refer in this respect to a report prepared by an ILO team which visited the occupied territories, Mr. Ajlouni said in a statement before departure.

He added that the Arab group. in cooperation with African delegates, will also seek a condemnation of racial discrimination exercised by the South African regime against African nationals. Accompanying the minister is a delegation of representatives from labour unions and employers as well as Labour Ministry officials.

The conference will be hosted by Civil Aviation Director General Sharif Ghazi Rakan and Alia Chairman Ali Ghandour, and coordinated by Arab Air Services

Representatives of international organisations and air carriers serving the Middle East will attend the four-day meeting.

The programme will touch on flight operating problems. airspace problems, ground operating problems and airport development. It will also include panel discussions, a tour of the new Queen Alia International Airport and an air show by the Royal Falcons. At the conclusion of the conference, there will be a special flight to the opening of the Paris Air Show in France.

The first MECACON was held in Amman two years ago. The second one had been scheduled for Iran last year, but was can-

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the meeting.
According to the Jordan News Agency, the meeting also dis- calls for cussed the political and economic measures adopted by the Arab states following the signing of the economic Egyptian-Israeli peace treaty last

The committee also explored SUIIIIII ways of getting the Arab League functioning normally in Tunis. Egypt has refused to hand over-Arab League documents.

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AMMAN, June 2 idents and stressed the (Agencies)-The Prime Minister, tance of coordination and of the Yemen Arab Republic, Mr. enation among Asab states Abdul Aziz Abdul Ghani, today Stressing their committee described his three-day visit to the resolutions of last years. Jordan as successful and stressed summit in Baghdad, the two that there had been agreement on emphasised that the control

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Milhough Maic Planel is very good at sports, especially tennis, the ambassador only govern for brok wafes, which he wokingly refers to as "marche a pied". The two of them are very tend of nature so they will be making as many trips as possible and the Jordanian countryside, especially if this can be combined with discovering more about another subject which is of great interest to them--archaeology.

In the few days the ambassador has been in Jordan, in between allhis many engagements he has somehow found time to look around the Citadel and the archaeological museum there. Madaba, Mount Nebo and Jarash.

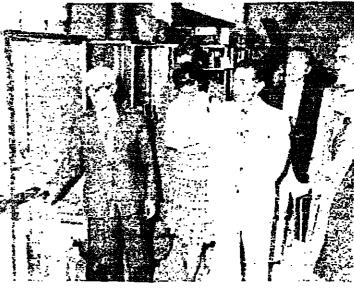
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His first official engagement was to receive French Minister of sion of the conference on the

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The visiting Bulgarian trade delegation is shown around the Jordan industrial Exhibition by Director of the Amman Chamber of Industry, Mr. Ali Dajani.

iting Bulgarian trade and indus trial delegation discussed hertoday with the Federation of Jor danian chambers of commerci and industry means of increasin the volume of trade between Jor dan and Bulgaria. Agreement wa also reached between the two sides to sign a bilateral agreemen on trade and industry on Tuesday. The Bulgarian delegation

which arrived here last night on a four-day official visit to Jordan earlier in the day held talks with the under-secretary of the Ministry of Agriculture, Dr. Hassar Gharaivbeh, on bilatera exchange of agricultural products and was briefed on the ministry projects to promote agricultural production in Jordan.

During the visit, the delegation will also hold talks with other Jor dantan officials and will tour number of archaeological and tourist sites in the country.

6 vehicles damaged in major accident

AMMAN, June 2 (J. f.) - A total of four cars and a pickup were damaged including a cir which was totalled in a major accident. which occured in Rus Al Ain street here yesterday,

One of the ears, the first to be but by a fast moving forty which obviously had gone out of control. contained a family of four who were later reported to have miraculously escaped unharmed,

The lorry, with a Kuwaiti licence plate, was probably trying to overtake a small car when it crashed into it, riding up on it and then pushing it in front of it while it careened down the street, hitting and bumping against vehicles. parked along the side of the street, which runs close to Al Ahli

amesement park. Police are now hunting for the forry driver who abandoned his vehicle and escaped from the scene of the accident.

UNRWA **Activities** Day raises JD 6,000 for refugees

AMMAN, June 2 (J. F.)--Nearly JD 6,000 was raised last Thursday at the Activities Day sponsored by the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine refugees (UNRWA). The day of lestivities was organised to combine baying tun with raising money for refugee children. Contributions were obtained by partotal funds received and promised amount to JD 5,866,200.

Bulgaria to sign trade

The top five runners were Hamid Ismail, from UNRWA's Amman Training Centre (ATC), 26 kilometres: Hussein Asfour, ATC, 25.2 kilometres; Akram Suleiman, Hussein Camp. 22 kilometres: Yousef Abu Shaqra, ATC, 22 kilometres: and Mohammad Abdul Qader, ATC, 21 kilometres.

The five runners who obtained the most sponsors were Mrs. Laila Toukan, 72 sponsors; Mrs. Amal-Arabikathi, 65 sponsors; Mr. Ismail El Ras, 63 sponsors; Mr Faris Hassan Hazza, 50 sponsors: and Mr. Yousef Taha, 48 spon-

The two runners who obtained the most contributions, based on their age, distance covered and number of sponsors, were Mr. John Tanner, UNRWA director in Jordan, JD 369 for running 10 kilometres: Faris Hassan Hazza Irbid, JD 267 for 12.2 kilometres: Akram Suleiman, ATC, JD 258 for 22 kilometres: Hamid Ismail. ticipants in the running event. The ATC, 1D 242 for 26 kilometres: and Odeh El Rahal, Hashimi, JD 233 for 18 kilometres.

NCC president meets AFSC group AMMAN. June

(JNA)--President of the National Consultative Council (NCC) Mr. Ahmad Al Lawzi briefed a group representing the American Friends Service Committee today on the latest Middle East developments and Jordan's stand on the issue.

The group, which arrived here vesterday for a several-day visit to Jordan, was also briefed by Mr. Lawzi on the NCC's duties and

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Japan dominates Asian track, field meet

TOKYO, June 2 (R)--Japan won more than half the gold medals contested in the Asian invitation track and field meeting here yesterday but the highlight was a South Korean teenage girl who upset Asian stars to win the 800 metres. Chung Bong-soon, a 17-year-old high school student, took the lead from the first corner and went on to win her first international race in two minutes 6.1 seconds. Yeh Pei-su of China became the first athlete to set an Asian record by winning the women's pentathlon with 4.139 points, six points more than her previous record set in last year's Asian Games in Bangkok. The Japanese won six of the 11 finals contested yesterday to bring their haul of gold medals to eight in 14 events completed. Chung beat Asian games gold medallist Geeta Zutshi of India by about ten metres, but Zutshi was disqualified and the silver medal went to Jang Yong-ae of North Korea. Emi Akimoto of Japan upset Chinese favourite Dai Jianhua in the 100 metres hurdles with a time of 14.17 seconds. and there was another upset in the 100 metres sprint where Emiko Koneshi edged Yin Yaping in a blanket finish. Koneshi clocked 12.09, Yin had 12.10 and Mo Myung-hi of South Korea was timed in 12.11. In the men's 200 metres final. Yasuhiro Harada of Japan beat Asian Games gold medallist Ramaswmy Gnanasekarn of India with a time of 21.34 seconds. The Indian was fourth behind two more Japanese. Kuwait and Iraq won their first gold medals yesterday. Mohammad Ali Zinkawi of Kuwait won the men's shot put with a throw of 17.78 metres, beating previous Asian Games winner Zhao Baogin of China, who was second with 17.50. Iraq took the men's 1,600 metres relay gold in 3:08.8.

English League clubs ban loan of players

LONDON, June 2 (R)--English League clubs yesterday banned the loan of players to the North American Soccer League (NASL). The annual meeting of the football league approved a proposal by Everton that only permanent transfers to North America will be allowed. The clubs endorsed a deal worth £ 10 million over four years under which public service (BBC) and commercial television will share in screening soccer. Each club will receive £25,000 sterling annually. An earlier deal which would have given commercial television a monoly of league soccer was outlawed by Britain's Office of Fair Trading. A proposal to allow league matches on Sundays was outvoted and the four clubs who filled the bottom places in the Fourth Division--Doncaster. Darlington. Crewe and Halifax--were re-elected in preference to the new aspirants. Altrincham and Kettering.



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Friday's games

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World Cup Gymnastics

TOKYO, June 2, (R) - Veteran Japanese Shigeru Kasamarsu. and teenager Stella Zakharova of the Soviet Union led in the men's and women's divisions respectively after the first half of the individual overall competition in the 1929 gymnastic World Chiphere today. Women's Olympic champion Nadia Commer of Romania slumped to minth place after a disastrons display in the asymmetric bars. Kasamatsu, 31, had 28.85 points, scoring to points on the floor exercise, 9.60 on the pommer horse, and 1 on the rings. This gave Kasamatsu a slim lead over Reland Bruekner of East Germany and Bulgarian Stoyan Deliches 3th each scored 28.75. Zakharova, a fifteen year old, chalten up 19.70 points with 9.90 points on the vault and 9.80 on the as mmetric bars. It put her 0.20 points ahead of comparing Melli-Kim, Emillia Eberle of Romania and Steffi Kracker of East Germany. Kathy Johnson of the United States and Vera Cerna of Czechoslovakia shared a joint fifth spot with 19.35 points each? Commaneci had a two-exercise total of 19.20 points. She gained 9.90 points on the vault but made a mistake on the asymmetric's bars and scored only 9.30. In the men's division, American Knits Thomas earned 28.55 points for a joint fourth place with Alexandre Ditiatin of the Soviet Union.

Tate stops Knoetze in eighth round

MMABATHO, June. 2 (R)-John Tate of the United States. stopped South African Kallie Knoetze in the eighth round of their non-title heavyweight fight here today. Knoetze dominated the American in the first three rounds but, after Tate weathered his blows, the South African appeared to have little left to offer later. Knoetze took the first three rounds, but then the superior boxing ability of Tate subdued Knoetze. Knoetze lashed home a few vicious blows, but Tate never looked in any real trouble and the outcome was obvious long before the referee stepped in and stopped Knoetze's agony. The bout was regarded as an eliminator for the World Boxing Association (WBA) title Muhammad Ali is expected to relinquish later this year. The second eliminator will be between Leon Spinks of the United States and South Africa's Gerry Coetzee in Monte Carlo on June 24. Knoetze, normally a slow starter, began with a flurry of blows, taking the first round by sheer aggression and forcing the American on to the ropes for long periods in the second round. A thunderous right pur Tate in trouble after a barrage of blows in the third round. But Taxe fought back in the fourth with a left and right which shook the South African. Right on the bell Tate hurt Knoetze with a vision right hook, the South African staggering back to his come as showed his boxing superiority in the fifth round which head

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Haya Centre festival launches summer season of fun for kids



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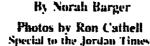
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AMMAN, June 2 -- School's outnow and Amman's children can celebrate the start of a summer dedicated to the pursuit of happiness at the festival that opened at the Haya Arts Centre today.

The testival will continue Grough Sunday and Monday and open to the public of all ages between the hours of 10 a.m. - 1 pane and 3 pane - 6 pane, Mr. Nabil-Sawalha, director of the centre. told the Jordan Times today.

Today's action picked up when costumed children swinging greatballoons followed a clown through

the festival grounds in a carrival. parade. Among those marching were an anthropomorphic formato, an extraterrestrial grasshopper, Superent and a cowled skeleton The children made their own masks by covering inflated ballons. with papier mache and painting on whomsical and fantastic faces. The parade will be repeated at 11.30. aint, and 4.30 pint, on the two remaining days

On the small fairground booths have been set up featuring twelve. different games and offering attractive prizes. The booths' decorations were artifully designed and executed by children who are members of the centre.

While some children today tried to puncture Mickey Mouse's bal-

loon nose with darts or to pin a - the vicinity are stands selling soft tested their skills with traditional darts and a bow and suctioned-Little Lulu hoop toss, a cein toss and basketball throwing. The most enticing booth offers strings attached to a small surprise package that can be pulled from a barrel. Tickets costing 50 tils for each game are on sale. Among the Prizes are stuffed unimals and dolls, and plastic and inflatable toys that were donated by Amman. merchants, Mr. Sawalha said.

Set up near the booths are modebot a flying saucer, a horse and a tank that are scaled down to accommodate jumor riders. They are on loan to the testival from Amman's permanent fair. Also in

tasseled tail on a conkey, others drinks, sandwiches, cakes and candy.

Nearby, competitions are beingtipped arrow. Other games are a held for prizes between the hours of 12 and 1 rum, and seem between 5 and 6 p.m. They include the familiar egg sack, and carrwheel races. There is also a game involving chairs that is lots of tun. Each contestant, enthusiastically cheered on by a large growd, stands on a chief and, by stepping on a second chair and moving the first one around, tries to chair-step his way to the timeh line without touching the ground. Volunteers from the scouts and the University of Jordan Class officiated at the races and worked the booths.

At noon the charale from the Haya Centre in Funers gave air danian folk songs. The twelveyear-old female soloist was backed by a singing and clapping chorus accompanied by violin,

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drum and 'oud. The highly popufar group will perform one more day and a similar chorale from the Ruseita Hava Centre will perform on Monday. The Amman centre's band will play intermittently throughout the lestival.

hiside the centre's theatre, the professional Syrian Children's Theatre Group is performing the play "Good Boy Ziyad" at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. each day. It runs slightly over an hour and admission costs 500 fils.

In the centre's library, children's games, including lab kits,

outdoor performance of Jor- craft sets, and airplane models are on sale at a discount along with children's books in Arabic and English, and Italian and Belgian clothing for children up to fourteen years of age. The centre colleeted the items, many of which are marked down 50 per cent.

from local stores. Mr. Sawalha said, and proceeds will go to the merchants. Also offered for sale in all sizes are T-shirts emblazoned with the centre's own logo in Fighish and Arabic.

Mr. Sawalha said that the testival is primarily for tun and secondarily for tundraising. Although the play will probably only break even, he expects a good profit from the games and cuts from the concession stands.





Intent on shooting from their armoured tank amusement ride, these boys' sights are frozen on the lighted target board.

The flying saucer ride requires a Opening of skate park is rolling success

Text and photos By Ron Cathell Special to the Jordan Times

AMMAN, June 2 -- Amman's junior athletes are starting to flock to the only known skateboard park in the Middle East. On May 29, the Haya Arts Centre officially opened its 25 metre-wide oval shaped cement fun zone. "But really," the centre's director Nabil Sawalha said, "we started letting kids use it about 10 days ago."

In the centre of the park is the main attraction, a 13 metre-wide and one metre deep hole that has been dubbed. "The Dip", It has banked sides and curving rampways that allow the young sports enthusiasts to zoom down to the bottom, picking up speed, and blast up a banked wall. With enough momentum, the more daring board riders can execute swooping turns and tricky man-OHEYTES.

Already at least 70 thrill seekers, including girls, have joined the skateboard club. To use the park, a youngster must be between six and 14 years old and have club membership. Membership lees are JD 1 per month, or JD 1.5 for two months.

The youngsters must also provide their own equipment, including safety gear. Strict safety rules are enforced, primarily the mandatory use of a helmet, plastic

knee and elbow pads and soft- added and the centre, in coopsoled shoes. The pads and helmets can be purchased from the Haya Centre at wholesale prices, about JD 2 off the going retail price. The average retail price for the equipment is JD 6. Prices for skateboards in Amman range between JD 4 and JD 8, depend-

ing on the quality and make. Mr. Sawalha expects the club membership to grow to 300 this summer. The park can accomodate about 70 skateboarders at a

A phenomenal thing about the park is the short time taken to build it. It was conceived and designed by Mr. Sawalha only three months ago. With the help of the Army Corps of Engineers, and the enthusiastic support of His Majesty King Hussein, the park was quickly made a reality.

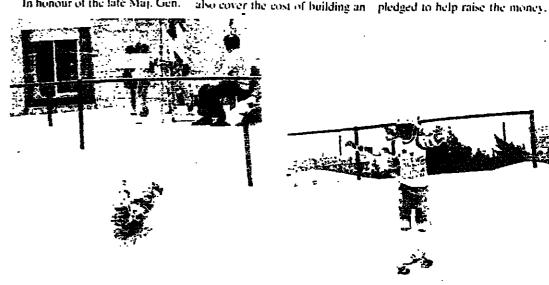
Adjacent to the park is an area being asphalted for use as a parking for and basketball court. Below the park, on the level of the art buildings, is an area to be used for table tennis.

In addition to the rapid building of the skateboard park, the Haya Centre's junior traffic circle is nearing completion. All the lanes for kid-powered peddle cars and bieycles have been asphalted. When the cement surfacing and curbing have been poured, the area can start to be used as a playground, Later, traffic signs will be

eration with the Royal Automobile Club and Ministry of Transportation, will conduct a traffic school for youngsters to become familiar with Jordan's

traffic rules and regulations. In honour of the late Maj. Gen. the proposed traffic school lecture. Arabiyat Lecture Hall will be pro-

Ghazy Arabiyat, former director attached workshop, paint for the of Public Security who died in a traffic circle and new buildings as tragic auto accident less than two well as adding other finishing months ago, the centre has named touches. Funding for the Ghazy hall after him. The building will vided by donations. Minister of cost JD 17,000. This amount will. Finance Mohammad Dabbas has



This young sports enthusiast gets a thrill from riding his skateboard belly down.

Number 36 shows his balancing style as he zooms across the bottom of "The Dip",



Two boys streak to the top of the banked sides. All board riders must wear safety equipment.



Two skateboarders race down the rampway leading into "The Dip", the main attraction of the Haya Arts Centre skateboard park.





se-day festival started Saturday morning, children of all ages try their luck at the booth games.

Harvard museum searches for vintage photos of Levant



the 1870s from the photo collection of the Harvard Semitic Museum.

By Pat McDonnell Special to the Jordan Times

DAMASCUS -- If you have old family photos (pre-World War I). Harvard University would like to "immortalise" them for its Semitic Museum's photo archives of the 19th Century Near East, Best of all, you can retain possession of your original photos, copies will be made on the spot for the are-

Ms. Elizabeth Carella, chief photographer of the Harvard Semitic Museum, is in the Near East to photograph private collections of historical photographs. from North Atrica, Asia Minor, Aighantstan, the Holy Land and the Arabian Peninsula.

Armed with a 35 millimetre camera with macro-lens attachments. Ms. Carella has been in Damaseus, is now in the gult states, and will return to Damascus in early June before searching. for photos in Jordan from June 22

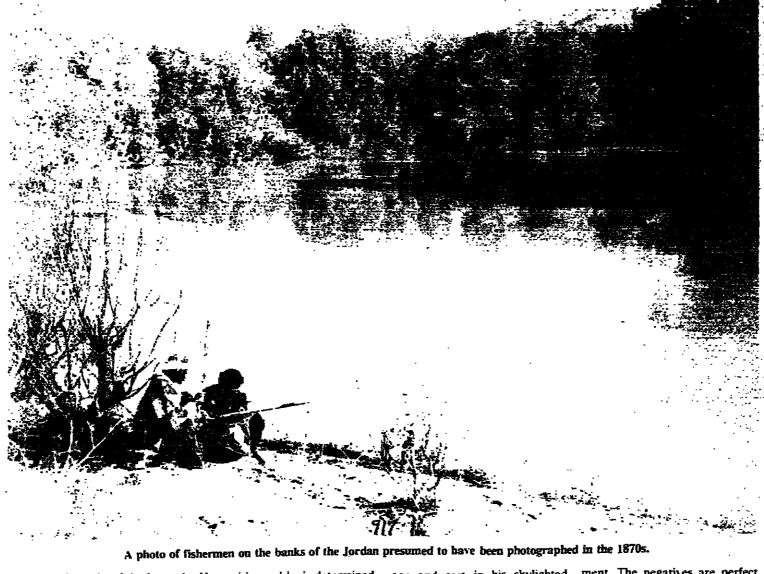
Ms. Carella says her quest was launched by a bomb planted by protesters of the Vietnam War in the Semitic Museum in 1970.

The story goes this way: Shortly after it was founded in 1809, the Harvard Semitic Museum purchased a collection of photos taken in the Near East during the last four decades of the

19th century.

Upon their arrival at Harvard. the prints were mounted and numbered, packed in boxes, and duly forgotten. For more than 70 years, the poxes remained unopened, the photographs unseen, in the attic of a structure which also housed in organisation that counted then-Secretary of State Henry Kissinger as an associate director.

The Kissinger connection eaused anti-Vietnam war pro-



of the building. Amidst shattered glass during the aftermath of the explosion, the holder of a Ph. D. in biblical archaeology. Dr. Carney Gavin, opened the undamaged boxes and discovered dozens of dusty bexes filled with photographs documenting the 19th century Near East.

another, and for the first time in more than seven decades some 28 (90) prints, negatives and lantern slides depicting another era were seen for the first time.

The discovery of the world's largest collection of early photodocumentation of the Levant carned Dr. Gavin a grant from the National Endowment for the

testers to plant a bomb in the roof Humanities and he is determined to make the collection the nucleus of a comprehensive archive.

Not only did Dr. Gavin start a painstaking process of identifying and indexing the 28,000 prints, but he organised a group called FOCUS (Finding, Organising, Copying, Utilising and Sharing). FOCUS convened for a session

Dr. Gavin opened one box, then at Harvard last spring and a second international conference is planned for January 1980. As more and more vintage photos are collected, the Semitic Museum hopes to arrange traveling exhibitions of its acquisitions as well as traveling workshops for Near Eastern scholars.

> Ms. Carella points out that vintage photos are endangered because of the materials on which they were mounted.

"Prints of the 19th century may appear to be in a fine state of preservation, but this is subject to change because of exposure to sunlight and air over the decades. Generally, the photos were mounted on cardboard or put in envelopes containing sulphuric glue which causes deterioration," Any photo mounted on sul-

phurous cardboard with animal glue is subject to damage. We want to copy the images onto modern safety film so that we have a visual record that can be prerrea.

Ms. Carella says 19th century photographers went everywhere. photographed everything. like the camera buff of today. At the dawn of photography, what better setting to take pictures than the Middle East with its biblical landscapes and bazaar scenes?

A little known artist who made more than 800 of the photographs in the Semitic Museum's collection is Felix Bonfils who apparently got around the traditional prohibition against making "graven images" of Muslims and Jews of the Levant.

Mr. Bonfils managed to pose sitters representing each class, sex,

age and sect in his skylighted Beirut studio. One of the most interesting mysteries in the collection of Bonfils photographs is how he managed to persuade Muslim women to pose barefaced and bareheaded. One theory is that he hired lower class girls or prostitutes to pose.

Ms. Carella notes that the early photographers picture-taking process was complicated. Glass plates coated with an emulsion that had to be exposed before it dried were used. Prints were made from the negative by sunlight on paper sensitised with a suspension of silver salts in albumen or egg white. The process produced images that equal the best in contemporary photography.

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A NOVEL APPROACH

By D.S. Hutchitson

ment. The negatives are perfect and pick up every minute detail that might be lost in today's blurry blow-ups," she said. The virtual grainlessness of

glass plate negatives permits enormous magnification of everything from minute architectural details to intricate filigree ornaments on costumes." At the conclusion of its survey,

the Semitic Museum will publish a guide to collections in the United States and abroad and make its own collection available for study.

The time period of interest spans the invention of the camera in 1839 to the advent of the snapshot camera, about the time of World War I.

If Syrian or Jordanian families have any photos falling within this period, they are requested to contact the American Centres in Damascus or Amman before June

FORECAST FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 3, 1979

YOUR DAILY from the Carroll Righter institute

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Make this a memorable day in your life by getting everything of importance to you in such a perfect state that you will have more peace? and tranquility as well as efficiency in the days shead.

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GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Please kin more by doing whatever pleases them the most and have more harmony thereby. Don't neglect good relatives who can be of assistance to you and vice versa.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Fine day for visiting friends and relatives. Take time for corresponding, whether by mail, phone or telegam. Be active.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Ideal day to study more modern ways of adding to income Plan to save more. money also. Cut down on foolish expenses, which could also mean foolish investments

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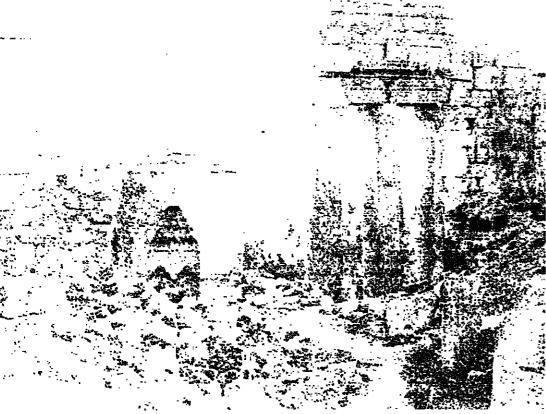
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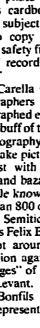
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A photograph by Bonfils of the ruins in Baaibek, Lebanon.





Bedouins paused to pose for this 19th century photo.

THE Sunday Crossword

(formerly The New York Herald Tribuae Crossword) Edited by Herb Ettenson

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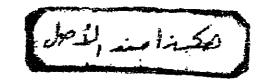
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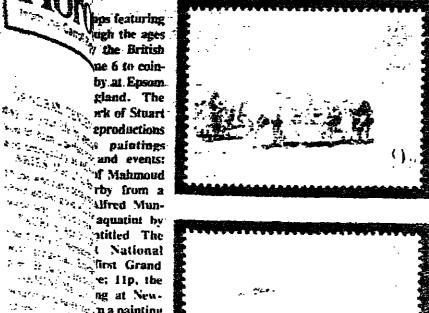
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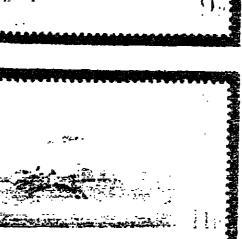
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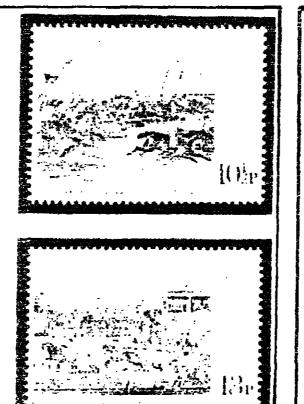
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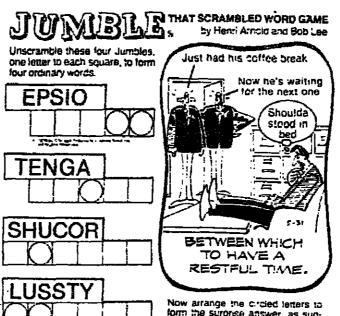
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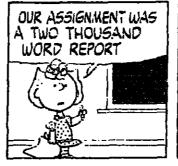
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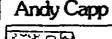














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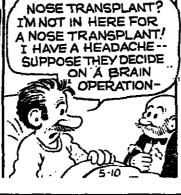
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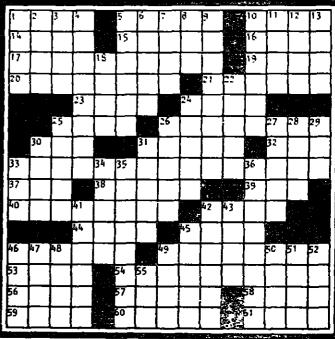
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Pope greeted in Poland by leaders of church, state

WARSAW, June 2 (Agencies) -- Poland's church bells rang out today to greet Pope John Paul as he set foot again on his native soil, the first Roman Catholic Pontiff to visit a communist-ruled country.

Thousands of bells pealed from the Carpathian Mountains to the Baltic Sea, and from the Oderneisse River in the west to the Soviet frontier in the east, as the Pope stepped from the Papal jet when it landed at Okecie military

Polish and Vatican flags flew side by side at the Warsaw Pact airport, and the Pope was greeted by communist state authorities and Cardinal Stefan Wyszynski. 78, the veteran Roman Catholic Primate of Poland.

The cardinal was held in detention for three years in the 1950s because he protested again a Stalinist offensive against the church and the imprisonment of priests and bishops.

Since then a steady improvement in church-state relations. and the fact that the new Pope is a Pole, made a Papal visit a possibility. The communist authorities had for years refused

to allow such a visit. Cardinal Wyszynski was the first to greet the Pope, boarding the Papal plane to do so. They walked together down the gangway, and the Pope then kneeled and kissed the ground. It was the first time he had touched his

native soil since he was elevated to

the papacy last Oct. 16.

Some 20,000 people assembled at the airport. The entryway was restricted to about 500 specially invited guests, including groups in national costume.

He was then greeted by Poland's communist head of state. President Henryk Jablonski.

Cardinal Wyszynski told the Pope: "Holy Father, we give you our rejoicing hearts, we place at your feet the noble soul of Poland ever faithful to the church."

During the two hours 10 minutes flight from Rome, the Pope spoke to journalists travelling on his plane.

Reuter correspondent Brian Mooney said the Pontiff told him that it was a providential journey which he had to make but that he

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Mr. Vance noted that the

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have made a number of non-

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prospect of a Cuban chairmanship

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Josip Vhrovec said recently Cuba

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Vance denies Spain being pressured to join NATO pute over the Western Sahara

MADRID, June 2 (R) -- U.S. Secretary of State Cyrus Vance said here today it was up to Spain to decide if and when it wants to join NATO.

Mr. Vance, speaking at a press conference before leaving for home, firmly denied that the Carter administration was applying pressure to the Spanish Govemment to join the Western alliance quickly.

"As far as the accession of Spain to NATO is concerned, that is clearly a subject for Spain to decide if and when it chooses to do so," he said in reply to a question from a Spanish journalist.

Several Spanish newspapers had noted that the 22-hour Vance" visit came only a fortnight after an official trip to Spain by U.S. Secretary of Defence Harold Brown.

They interpreted this as indicating that Washington was trying to hasten a decision by the centrist government of Prime Minister Adolfo Suarez to take Spain into the alliance.

"Contrary to some indications that have appeared in the press. the United States has in no way tried to exert any pressure upon the decision which Spain may wish to make at some point on this issue," said Mr. Vance.

Speaking at a lunch for Mr. Vance yesterday, Spanish Foreign Minister Marcelino Oreja made it clear the Suarez government wanted to join NATO, but in its own time.

The security of Europe was of direct concern to Spain, which was ready to make a contribution when the time came. Mr. Oreja said.

Mr. Vance, at the end of an extensive tour of Europe and the Middle East, said he had reviewed with Spanish officials the troubled situation in the Western Sahara, the phosphate rich territory which Spain ceded to Morocco and

Mauritania three years ago. Asked if the U.S. administration had a view on how the dis-

emotions.

He said: "I must dominate myself. It is a doctrine I preach to others. I must practice it myself," Mr. Mooney reported.

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The Pope spent 30 minutes in the narrow aisle of the Boeing jet talking to journalists, speaking in six languages.

He told the journalists the purpose of his visit to Poland was spiritual and religious. But he indicated he would also like to visit other communist-ruled coun-

"It would be very pleasant to do so," he said when asked about this possibility. "I could specialise in this job" of going to communist countries, he quipped lightheartedly.

The Pope also said there was a possibility of other Papal journeys in the future, but there were no plans as vet

Asked about the political significance of his nine-day visit to Poland, the Pope said: "Communism and capitalism are realities, but underneath stand the people. This is a human reality. My journey is providential."

The Pope recalled that Pope Paul VI wished to visit Poland in 1966 for the milennium of Polish Christianity. "It was impossible for him to go. Now the situation has changed so that the Pope can and must go to Poland."

He celebrates an open-air mass this afternoon before an expected 250,000 people in Warsaw's Victory Square in what will be one of the great symbolic moments of his

In his speech at the airport, the Pope thanked the Polish state authorities. He said: "I express my esteem for the state authorities and I again renew my cordial gratitude for the kind attitude towards my visit to Poland...

ween the two countries had "I earnestly hope that my preworked well under the treaty. sent journey in Poland may serve which gives the United States use the great cause of rapprochement and of collaboration among of four military bases in Sapin. But he gave no hint on whether the nations: that it may be useful for Carter administration would reciprocal understanding, for favour a new treaty or would prereconciliation, and for peace in the fer Spain to join NATO instead. contemporary world.



Italians vote today

Heated campaigning comes to an end today as voting begins in Italy's general elections. Campaign posters (photo) line streets throughout Italy. (Gamma photo)

U.K. official quoted making grim appraisal of own nation

controversial assessment of Britain's standing in the world, the man who becomes his country's ambassador to Washington next month says his once-mighty land needs a new "sense of national purpose" to arrest its slide toward becoming a "poor and unproud

"Today we are not only no longer a world power, but we are not even in the first rank as a European one," Sir Nicholas Henderson is quoted as saying in today's edition of The Economist. a British news weekly.

The diplomat's blistering attack on Britain's national malaise apparently was leaked to the journal by British Foreign Office workers. He had provided the grim assessment last March in a letter to then-foreign secretary David Owen. The occasion was his retirement from the diplomatic

Mr. Henderson, who last held the post of ambassador to France. was called back into service and named ambassador to the United States by Lord Carrington, who took over as foreign secretary

LONDON, June 2 (AP) -- In a when Margaret Thatcher's Conservatives came to power in last month's general election. He will replace Peter Jay.

The Economist quoted Mr. Henderson as saying, "We talk of ourselves without shame as being one of the less prosperous countries of Europe.

And he said, "The prognosis for the foreseeable future is disturbing ... A considerable jolt is going to be needed if a lasting The Thatcher government

Mr. Henderson would say only. "I regret the publication of a con-

The ambassador stressed that Britain's future lies with Europe-a belief shared by the government.

Catholic 'rebel' marries, intends to remain priest

LONDON, June 2 (R) - A Roman Catholic priest has defied the Vatican by getting married then declining to renounce the priesthood.

Priests throughout the world have, in growing numbers, left the ministry in order to be married.

Rebel Father Adrian Hastings, 50, intends to stay a priest so as to bear witness to his conviction that the church needs married priests. He was married, he said, after an agonising decision.

sent assignment is that of a lecturer in religion and excludes such pastoral work.

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Father Hastings has made world headlines before. Six years ago he alleged that Portuguese troops in

He was ordained in 1955 as a priest of Masaka Province in Uganda and spent 13 years in

His experience there led to his conviction that the church needed both married and celibate priests, and to his writing his book called

refused comment on the report, but political commentators said Foreign Office officials were

fidential document."

The author of a book which

criticises the law enjoining priestly celibacy. Father Hastings told reporters yesterday that the rule was "theologically unsound and

pastorally disastrous. His marriage to lecturer Ann Spence, 39, an Anglican, does not. however, necessarily portend a

dramatic confrontation with Canon law automatically suspendshim from all priestly duties, including saying mass. But his pre-

Confrontation would arise if Father Hasting were asked to say mass and did so, when he and those who took the sacrament

"I am a true and loyal Catholic," he said yesterday in Aberdeen, Scotland, where he lec-

Mozambique had massacred an

entire village.

"In Filial Disobedience."

World News Briefs

Lockheed fined \$647,000 in payments scandal

WASHINGTON, June, 2 (R)-Lockheed Corporation yesterday admitted paying nearly \$2 million to Japanese officials to promote sales of its aircraft and was fined \$647,000 by a Washington court. The company pleaded guilty to using communications systems to commit fraud and making false statements to the government to conceal payments it made in Japan to get contracts for the sale of 21 wide-bodied jets from 1972 to 1974. Lockheed admitted paying about \$1.8 million from August 1973 to February 1974 to the office of Kakuei Tanaka, who was then prime minister of Japan--\$50,000 to airline officials for each of the first 14 wide-bodied jets sold, and about \$100,000 to six Japanese political officials. None of the officials was named. Yesterday's fines ended a two-and-a-half year investigation of overseas payments made by Lockheed to promote sales of its aircraft. The money was alleged to have been funnelled through Marubeni Corporation, the giant Japanese trading company that was Lockheed's agent in Japan for 18 years until the scandal came to light in 1976. Disclosure of lockheed payments of more than \$30 million to officials in 19 countries led to a Justice Department investigation of 400 American firms and caused political reverberations in various nations.

Shah reported in Bahamas 'for a while yet'

NASSAU, Bahamas, June 2 (R)--The exiled Shah of Iran is staying in the Bahamas "for a while yet" a spokesman for the deposed monarch said yesterday. He declined to say how long the Shah would be staying. Police guards surrounding the Shah's exile home in Paradise Island told reporters Thursday that the Shah would be leaving for an undisclosed destination yesterday. The Shah arrived here on March 30 from Morocco and his eight week visa in theory expired yesterday. The Nassau evening newspaper Tribune said it had confirmed reports that two of the Shah's children had left for the United States. The children were staying at Palm Springs, California, at the home of former U.S. ambassador Walter Annenberg, the Tribune

NRC: Three Mile Island had safety deficiency

WASHINGTON, June 2 (R)-The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) revealed yesterday that five years ago it exempted the nowcrippled Three Mile Island nuclear reactor from newer safety regulations. The chairman of the presidential commission investigating the March 28 accident at the reactor site described the exemption as "shocking". NRC Director of Safety Systems Roger Mattson told the investigators the more rigid standards introduced in 1974 included new systems for containing radioactivity. Since construction had begun at Three Mile Island, the NRC did not require compliance with the new standards, he added. Presidential commission chairman John Kemeney said: "I must confess I find it shocking...containment and isolation (of radioctive material) is the single most important issue...one of the most vital ones."

New technology may result in 'vast' petroleum supplies period of "vast" petroleum sup-

UNITED NATIONS, June 2 (R)-New technology may enable developing countries with deposits of heavy crude and tar sands to produce their own oil at half the present price, a United Nations expert said vesterday

Joseph Barnea, head of the energy and natural resources section of the U.N. Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), said promising information would be revealed at a nine-day conference starting in Edmonton, Alberta, the oil capital of Canada, on Monday.

He said that even with existing technology, developing countries could produce oil for \$6 to \$8 a barrel, which is about half the price of Middle Eastern heavy crude oil.

Heavy crude is waxlike and sulphurous, difficult to pump and costly to refine. If cheaper methods of extraction could be found it could go a long way towards easing the world oil shor-

tage.
Mr. Barnea said new technology to be discussed at the conference offered the prospect of overcoming environmental and cost problems which have hin-

dered exploitation of such

resources. He predicted a new

plies for the future. Among the developing coun-

tries to send experts to Edmonton will be Madagascar, which has one of the world's biggest tar sand deposits. The province of Alberta itself is estimated to have the equivalent of more than 2,000 billion barrels of oil in its heavy crude and tar sands

Mr. Barnea said that Venezuela had an estimated 4,000 billion barrels and the United States more than 500 billion barrels.

One technological breakthrough to be discussed at the conon experience in Turkey, where heavy crude oil was recovered from 3,658 metres -- far below levels previously considered pro-

Governments, academics and the oil industries of many countries, including the Soviet Union. have submitted 80 papers for the meeting. The conference has been organised by UNITAR, the U.S.; Department of Energy and the province of Alberta.

One aim of the conference is to push U.N. agencies to recognise; the potential and help developing countries to explore and develop their own heavy crude resources.

Director of Australia's Narcotics Bureau resigns

CANBERRA. June 2 (R)--Australia's top drug fighter resigned vesterday in a scandal over allegations that information from a government computer had been sold to an international drug ring. The affair has been linked with the recent murder of a young couple, once involved in drug running, who made the charges to police a year ago.

Customs Minister Wal Fife told reporters Harvey Bates, director of the Federal Narcotics Bureau, resigned because he opposed an outside probe into the allegations. These claimed that a narcotics agent had supplied information from the Customs Department computer that kept track of suspected drug smugglers to an international heroin ring.

Mr. Fife said the couple told police the ring paid the agent \$28,000 for access to the computer and \$1,100 a time for each item of information. The computer records show passenger movements in and out of Australia including details of suspected drug smugglers.

The agent, who had access to the computer, was able to tell the drug ring which of its couriers were under surveillance, according to the allegations. There were also suggestions that when couriers became known to the Narcotics Bureau, the drug ring killed them. The young couple who first revealed the scandal, David and Isobel Wilson, were found murdered in a shallow grave near Melbourne.

Police also believe an unidentified man found murdered north of Sydney last March was involved in the drug ring. Mr. Fife said that when the Narcotics Bureau learned of the Wilsons' allegations a year ago, they kept the matter "under review" instead of passing it on to him. He was told of the allegations only last Monday and immediately ordered an investigation by a special team

of four policemen recruited from state forces. Mr. Fife did not consult Mr. Bates about the inquiry. He resigned when he learned of the probe because, while not opposing an independent inquiry, he believed the minister did not have all the facts and should have consulted him. Mr. Fife said Mr. Bates was an outstanding law officer whose resignation was

COLOMBO, June 2 (R)--A The bureau will have to decide number of controversial issues, whether the Vietnamese-backednotably Indochina, the Middle government of Heng Sarim or the East and prospects of a Cuban ousted Pol Pot government should chairmanship, will face non- represent Kampuchea.

Both will have delegations in Colombo. Although Kampuchea dinating bureau meets here at is not member of the bureau, any The 25-nation bureau meets non-aligned country can attend its from June 6 to 9 to prepare for a meetings as an observer. full-fledged summit of the 88-

The U.N. still recognises the Pol nation Non-Aligned Movement Pot government. Only nine nonaligned nations, including Cuba due to be held in Havana in Sepand Vietnam, have recognised tember when the host country is Heng Sarim's government.

Diplomatic sources at the U.N. in New York, where the bureau holds regular meetings at ambassadorial level, said Heng Sarim's supporters would be waiting to see whether the credentials of the new Ugandan government of President Yusufu Lule were accepted because the two situations were

By Edith M. Lederer

The first little red tractor that

rolled off the assembly line at the

Kim Sung tractor factory in 1958

engineer at the factory in Pyon-gyang's suburbs, laughed as he

recalled the three frantic days that

followed when workers pulled off

all the accessories and finally got it

'Those days in which we were

developing the tractor, we had no

experienced technicians. Most

workers had never seen a com-

pleted one and it often took 30

tries to produce a perfect part,"

"But we tried to get a victory, to

make a perfect tractor, with the

confidence that we could do it

ourselves following the teachings of the great and beloved leader

Comrade Kim Il Sung," he said.

"And we did it," he declared

The first tractor is now on dis-

play in the history museum, a

symbol of North Korea's unique

"juche" philosophy of self-

reliance. It was made in Korea,

with Korean-made parts and

equipment. by Korean workers.

been fueled by "juche" for nearly

30 years, and the country's 17 mil-

lion residents genuinely seem to

believe that anything Korean is

Longtime foreign residents say

one reason for the "Korean is

best" mentality is that very few

the best in the world.

The North Korean economy has

Mr. Li Wan Ook, technical

ran backwards.

to run forward.

Mr. Li said.

proudly.

PYONGYANG, North Korea -

In both Phnom Penh and Kam-

Controversial issues await non-aligned meeting

pala new governments took over affairs and suggests setting up a after a military thrust backed by a border disputes commission. foreign country, Vietnam in one case and Tanzania in the other. Both Vietnam and Tanzania are members of the bureau.

Egypt, which is not a bureau member, is also expected to have a delegation at the meeting to try and thwart attempts by other Arab countries to have it suspended from the Non-Aligned movement following its peace treaty with Israel.

A draft declaration prepared by Sri Lanka for approval at the Colombo meeting says that disputes among member states which tend to weaken the unity of the movement have reached "alarming

proportions." It expresses deep concern over

tle information from the outside

the assembly line at the tractor

factory was about 30 years old

because he'd never seen pictures

of a modern plant. He said there

were facilities for proper lighting,

or goggles and metal shavings

were spewing out of machines that

a small shop which once repaired

hoes was now turning out 30,000

tractors with 28 and 75 horse-

power engines -- about 100 per

day. He was also proud that the

factory bore the name "The Great

Leader" used at the beginning of

the Korean struggle against

Koreans, Kim Il Sung is the master

of the economy, just as he is the

master of every other facet of life.

He can solve any economic prob-

lem — from bad harvests to a \$2

we have abundance" because of

his love, sang the heroine in the

revolutionary opera "Song of

In the early 1970s, the North

Koreans added a new wrinkle to

'juche." They began buying

heavy machinery and industrial

equipment from the West to

develop their rich resources of

"When crops fail everywhere,

billion foreign trade debt.

In the eves of the North

What impressed Mr. Li was that

had no safety screens.

Japanese, occupation.

Mr. Li didn't seem to mind that

world filters in.

violations of the principle of noninterference in others's internal The draft declaration says vio-

lations range from undisguised

aggression and open incitement to subtler forms of subversion and destabilisation. The Sri Lankan draft condemns the failure of Israel to withdraw from all occupied Arab territories and the absence of a solution

guaranteeing the Palestinians'

inalienable right to selfdetermination. The draft condemns foreign military presence in the Indian Ocean, calls for the withdrawal of foreign armed forces from the Mediterranean region and applauds Malta's removal of foreign military bases from its ter-

East countries and trying to con- exports is its own, he declared serve its use of gasoline.

In cities and rural areas, electricity is produced by coalgenerated power plants. Mr. Lim said North Korea expects to produce between 50 and 60 billion

kilowatt hours amually by 1984.

At the moment, however, it

appears there is an electricity shortage. Lights in schools, factories and stores are routinely turned off until dark and this reporter got caught in a 15-minute late afternoon blackout while shopping in downtown Pyon-

North Korea is clearly counting on increased mineral production and exports to speed its industrialisation and pay off the country's debts. Mr. Lim listed the major exports as cement, magnesium, zinc and other nonferrous metals, rolled steel, tractors, light industry products including textiles, agricultural and fish products -- but he refused to disclose any figures.

"We do not disclose the total value of exports or imports," Mr. Lim said. "When reunification is announced, then we may disclose them." The North Koreans also have a

fast answer for foreigners who note that South Korea exports billions of dollars more than they do. Mr. Lim claimed the South Korean economy is controlled by foreigners so its exports belong to American, Japanese and other overseas interests -- not the South Koreans themselves.

In 1978, he said, the country produced a total of 35 billion kilowatt hours of electricity, 60, million tons of coal, 4.5 million tons of steel, four million tons of, fertiliser and nine million tons of: cement. It was impossible to verify these figures.

As another indication of the, priority on mining, iron ore workers are the highest paid in the country, taking home more than \$125 monthly. Coal miners and fishermen are next on the list. Doctors and teachers only make about \$75 a month. The average family takes home about \$75.

But Mr. Lim insisted this isn't salary. "It's spending money." he said, "because the main things in people's living has been provided from the state."

The North Koreans bristle a suggestions that the South Koreans live better than they do Mr. Lim said North Korear receive at least \$75 monthly free housing, education, medicicare and subsidised food -- 🖭

товеу". "And, there are no beggato here," he said. In fact, economistsay the North Koreans want in work to repay the country and:

A young interpreter who was still studying at Kim Il Sung Uni versity said that once she gradus ated, "I will start paying back th

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people travel abroad and very lit- coal, zinc, magnesium, iron ore

Paradise."

North Korea's economy has been fueled for nearly 30 years by a unique philosophy of self-reliance. But the 1970s have added a large foreign debt.

Korea's own brand of self-reliance

but workers were squinting because the lights were turned off. He said the factory also provided and other raw materials. materials for the safety of workers, but nobody was wearing boots

"A self-supporting economy does not mean that we shut off the door from abroad," explained Professor Lik Kwan Sam, an economic specialist at the People's Economic İnstitute. "It means we introduce the technology which we need, but the principal way is to depend on or own technology as

well as our own might." North Korea owes Western banks and companies an estimated \$1.3 billion, and reportedly owes the Soviet Union \$700 mil-

Well-informed sources said the Swedes are still operating a mining facility in the northern part of the country on a week-to-week cash on the line basis. Equipment for a Swiss-built watch factory outside the capital sat in boxes for three years, but the plant is finally operating. So is a French-built petrochemical plant. Swedish Volvos and Mercedes limousines. which ferried dignitaries and visitors around Pyongyang during the 35th World Table Tennis Championships still aren't paid

for, sources said. Mr. Lim, who is also an adviser to the state planning committee, assured reporters the debts were "not a serious problem" and would be completely paid off by the end of the current seven-year plan in 1984. Kim Il Sung has made increased

export production the country's number one priority, he said. With more ships and better port facilities, he predicted, the country will be selling more than \$2 billion worth of zinc, cement, fertiliser and steel by that target date. "It is not a problem for us," Mr.

Lim said. "We have great capacity

in the field of economy."

He boasted that North Korea produces 98 per cent of its machinery needs, between 60 and 70 per cent of the raw materials it uses -- and has trained one million technicians to run the economy. The country imports coking

coal, raw rubber and cotton, but its biggest headache is its total dependence on foreign oil. China has discovered oil not far from Korea in offshore fields, and Mr. Lim and others are optimistic

there may be deposits in Korean waters as well. But everyone was vague about the possibilities of drilling exploratory wells. For now, Mr. Lim said, North Korea is importing oil from the Soviet Union, China and Middle

Everything North Korea

addition to the "spending-

their leader for all the free benefits.

revolution." How long work? "Until I die," she replied ASSOCIATED PRESS